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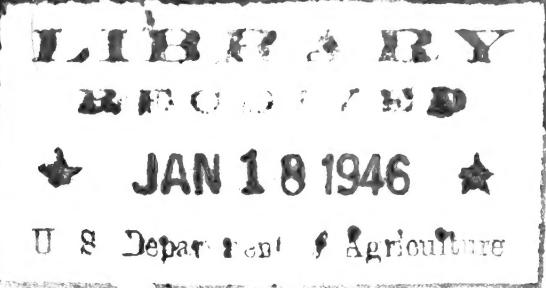
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1946 DESCRIPTIVE LIST OF GLADIOLUS

TWENTY-THIRD SEASON



ARTHUR A. ARENIUS
59 BLISS ROAD, LONGMEADOW 6
SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

CONNECTICUT YANKEE



FOREWORD

Another year has passed and this gives me an opportunity for my annual "Thank You" for your valued and continued patronage. The biggest war in history has ended and once more right has been triumphant over wrong and man can again continue his peace time pursuits of life, liberty and happiness.

Many folks inquire about the boys so I'll just mention that they are all well. "Art" received his honorable discharge from the army recently and I guess the "Old Man" was prouder of the two rows of ribbons than he was. "Al" is sweating it out in China while "Ed" is still sailing the wide Pacific.

This past season was the wettest in my 20-odd years of growing glads. Varieties were vying to out-do each other. A good year to judge the maximum performance of many doubtful varieties. Glads certainly like plenty of water provided there is good drainage. The bulb crop turned out fine and bulblet growth is larger than usual.

Bulbs are still on the short side which means the demand exceeds the supply especially in the better varieties, therefore prices are about the same as last year. Of course on the newer varieties stocks are usually small and are apt to be sold out.

Early ordering is still advisable.

START RIDING A HEALTHFUL HOBBY. GROW GLADS!

GUARANTEE

I guarantee satisfaction. If for any reason you are not satisfied, please write me and I will do my utmost to make satisfactory adjustment. Likewise, if you are pleased, I will be glad to hear of it, especially mention varieties that do well for you.

ORDER EARLY

We both benefit when you order early. Early orders get the choicest bulbs with less chance of being out of any variety. Also, I have more time to put up your order, less chance of error and less overtime. Please order early!

With every order cultural directions are included.

Visitors are always welcome at my fields during the blooming season.



LAVENDER PRINCE

PLEASE READ BEFORE ORDERING

Cash with order, or 25% deposit if future delivery is desired, balance C.O.D. Delivery charges prepaid on orders of \$1.00 or more, except as elsewhere stated. If less, add 15c toward shipping cost. No order taken for planting sizes (No. 5 and No. 6) after Apr. 15th, and for large bulbs after May 15th. Can furnish mixtures until June 15th. NO SINGLE ITEM LESS THAN 10c. I ship anytime. Yes! I give overcount. Please do not hold me to any obvious errors that may appear in this price list.

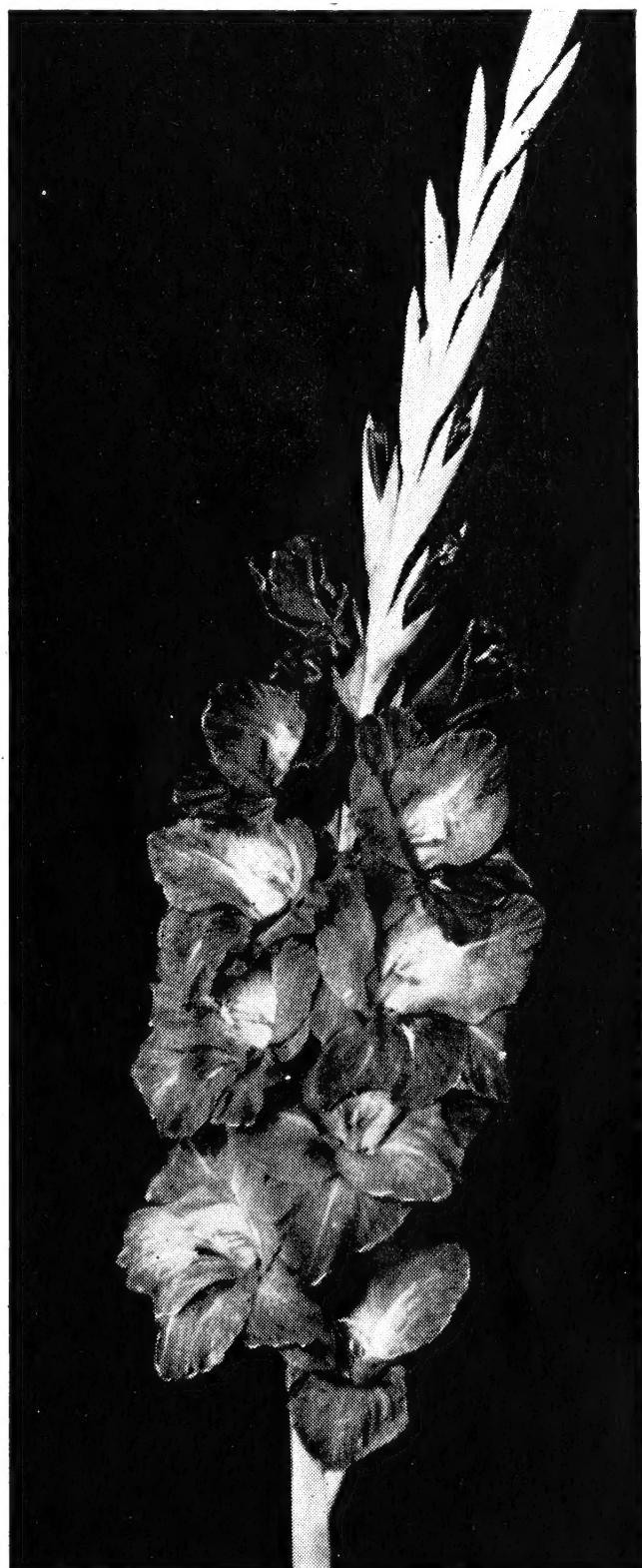
If your order contains bulbs from the General List (which are Prepaid) and the Quantity List (which are not Prepaid) I will send the bulbs express collect and put in enough extras to more than offset the express charges.

Money orders should be made out to: Springfield, Mass., Postoffice.

VARIETIES CAPABLE OF WINNING BEST SPIKE IN THE SHOW

Some enthusiasts are not satisfied any more in just winning a mere Blue Ribbon in a color class. They want to win nothing less than the "Best Spike in the Show." I have been often asked what varieties are capable of doing so. The question would start a hot discussion among any group of glad fans, but nevertheless I am going to stick my neck out and suggest a few which I think can do so with maximum culture.

Algonquin	King William
Athlone	Leading Lady
Big Top	Marion Pearl
Conn. Yankee	Mercury
Corona	Miss Wisconsin
Cover Girl	Picardy
Elizabeth The Queen	Topflite
Flying Fortress	Tunias Mohamet
King Click	



RED RIVAL

New Introductions for 1946

I have been fortunate in getting some exceptional seedlings this year. Three are from Jim La Salle. Have bought the entire stock of Topflite, which to me is the most beautiful glad I have ever seen; nor is there anything wrong with its other qualifications, except that the stock is not large. Jim complained he hated to part with his pet but would feel better in the knowledge that glad growers could enjoy one of the products of his labors. (Have you ever tried to raise 3 acres of seedlings?) We both agree that this is about the finest color in Glads we know of.

Fabulous is one of those unbelievable blotch varieties, having a double blotch in the form of a half circle. Very distinctive and otherwise fine.

Pink Charm is a solid pink which Jim aptly calls his waxy pink. Think this will go places because it is early and a very good propagator.

Peggy is a seedling from Roy West named in memory of his wife who for years had been raising seedlings. Had a few for trial this summer and it is just the shade of light lavender I have been looking for. Blooms not large, about 4" but clear and never flecks and it grows tall.

Abigail and Yankee Lass are from Jim Milo, who bought the entire stocks of both varieties. Haven't seen Abigail but it has won an Award of Merit at Md. Trial Gardens and several firsts at the shows. Yankee Lass is a sister seedling of Conn. Yankee with the same perfect placement except that it is a beautiful flesh or light pink. Bill Schenetsky, its originator, certainly has a record to be proud of with his King William, Conn. Yankee and now Yankee Lass.

TOPFLITE (La Salle). A rosy pink, self color, fairly deep (not washed out) . . . open 8 - 5" florals on a wiry stem 55" tall . . . Double row placement . . . Midseason . . . Medium propagator. **Bulbs \$10 any size. No bulblets**

FABULOUS (La Salle). A deep pink with a double, half circle blotch . . . Different . . . The inner blotch is a bright, cherry red, separated from the pink by a light cream half moon . . . Opens 6-5" florets on a strong stem, 60 inches tall . . . Double row placement . . . Midseason . . . Good propagator . . . Straight grower and a very fine cutter.

Bulbs \$5 any size. No bulblets

PINK CHARM (La Salle). A solid, medium deep pink with a decided waxy appearance. Color darkens very deep in the throat. Opens 6-5½" florets on a 50" spike . . . no crooks . . . Double row placement . . . medium early . . . Very good propagator . . . Will make a fine commercial. **Bulbs \$5 any size. No bulblets**

PEGGY (West). A clear light lavender, self color which never flecks. Opens six 4¼" florets on a spike 60" tall. Double row placement. Early midseason. Good propagator.

Bulbs \$5 any size. No bulblets

ABIGAIL (Myers). A lavender about the shade of Minuet. Opens 8 medium sized blooms on a 50" spike. Award of Merit, Md. Trial Gardens. Won 3 awards at the Maryland show this past summer. Also best in its class at the Tri City Show also in the Conn. Show.

Bulbs \$5 any size. No bulblets

YANKEE LASS (Schenetsky). A flesh or light pink, solid clear color. Opens up to 10-5" blooms on a tall straight spike. Fair to good propagator. Blooms in 85 days. A sister seedling of Conn. Yankee. I think the best in this color.

Bulbs: Large, \$10; Medium, \$7.50; Small, \$5.00. No bulblets



(One of my many exhibits)

Descriptive List of Gladiolus

	Large Per 1 1/4" up	Medium 3/4"-1 1/4"	Small 3/8"-3/4"	Bulblets Per Pkg.
ABE (Ellis) Tall orange salmon. Improved Betty Nuthall. One of the last ones to bloom.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	
ACCA LAURENTIA (Holland) Early orange with small deeper throat blotch. Fine early cut flower.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	10 .35 100 2.50
ALADDIN (Palmer) Large ruffled salmon with cream throat. Short stem, but can be grown to exhibition size. Fades in sun.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	4.15 .30	Pkg. .20
ALGOMA (Butt) Buff pink with red throat blotch. Up to 8 open on a straight spike.....	1 2.00	1.50	1.00	10 1.50
ALGONQUIN (Palmer) Bright scarlet with large wide open blooms. One of the best reds.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	4-.15 .30	Pkg. .20
A. L. STEPHEN (Winsor) Rose pink with small red blotch. Opens 6-5 inch blooms on a tall spike. Early. A very beautiful variety that should become better known. Outstanding in my garden this past season.....	1 1.00 10 8.00	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	10 1.00 100 7.00
AMBERGLOW (Palmer) Tall deep clear amber yellow. 6-8 medium size blooms on a tall spike.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	4-.15 .30	Pkg. .20
ARETHUSA (Fischer) Early light apricot with cream throat. Early, ruffled with long flower spike.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	4-.15 .30	Pkg. .20
ARIADNE (Mitsch) Striking blotched variety. Tinted white with large red blotch.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .50	Pkg. .30
AVALON (Marshall) Bright pink with large cream throat. 8 medium sized ruffled blooms on medium length spike.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.20 1.60	— —	Pkg. .40
BADGER BEAUTY (Krueger) Light lavender of medium height with 6-4 1/2" blooms open on a straight spike.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	10 .20 100 1.50
BALLAD (Palmer) Beautiful light rose with cream throat with 6 ruffled blooms on a medium spike.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.00	10 .20 100 1.50
BANCROFT WINSOR (Winsor) Ruffled medium orange with deeper plume in throat. Opens up to 8 large blooms on a wiry, straight spike. One of the very best orange colored glads. This was very outstanding in my garden last summer	1 .75 10 6.00	.60 4.80	.40 3.20	10 .75 100 6.00
BARCAROLE (Palmer) Clear orange with 6 ruffled blooms open on a medium length spike. Very pretty. Wish the spike was a little longer.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	4-.15 .30	Pkg. .20
BEACON (Palmer) Scarlet and cream bicolor. Very tall and popular commercial cut flower variety.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
BIG TOP (Rich) Pink with small carmine feather. While the color of this variety is only fair, it is outstanding for its huge size both as to its blossoms as well as length of stem, growing as it does up to 6 ft. tall. If you like them big, you'll like this one.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	10 .30 100 2.00
BLACK OPAL (Errey) Exhibition tall dark red, which will open up to 10 large well spaced blooms. Due to its heavy flower spike the stems bend over.....	1 .10 10 1.00	2-.15 .50	3-.15 .30	Pkg. .20
BLUE BEAUTY (Pfitzer) Tall medium blue with 6-5" blooms. One of the best blues.....	1 .10 10 1.00	2-.15 .60	2-.10 .40	Pkg. .20 15 .25
BOLERO (Leffingwell) Ruffled needle point type light smoky orange with a red blotch. Not a pleasing color to me, but it is certainly unusual and many folks like it.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	100 1.50
BRIDES DELIGHT (Wilson) Large cameo pink with light yellow throat. Opens about 4-5 blooms. Beautiful light pink.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .35	Pkg. .25
BUCKEYE BRONZE (Wilson) Old rose suffused orange giving it a bronzy appearance. Opens 6 blooms on a tall spike with alternate spacing on stem. This seems to be taking on as a commercial. Quite distinctive and pleasing.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	Pkg. .25
BUFFETTE (Winsor) Buff or light salmon orange. Opens 8 medium sized blooms on a tall spike. Useful early cut flower variety.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
CAMELLIA (Palmer) White blushed pink with a small scarlet blotch on cream ground. 6 large blooms open on a tall spike. Wish the blooms would open wider.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	3-.10 .30	Pkg. .20

	Large Per 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " up	Medium 3/4"-1 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	Small 3/8"-3/4"	Bulblets Per Pkg.
CAPEHEART (Winsor) Large light salmon rose which sometimes flecks. Commercial pink on a tall straight spike.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	3-.10 .30	.20
CAPSICUM (Arenius-La Salle) Deep pink with pink peppering on a cream throat blotch. Opens 6-4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " blooms on a tall spike. Pretty and a good cut flower.....	1 2.00 10 16.00	1.50 12.00	1.00 8.00	10 2.00 100 15.00
CARILLON (Palmer) Clear rose pink with cream throat. 6 medium sized blooms on a tall spike. Attractive pink.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	3-.15 .30	.25
CHAMOUNY (Baerman) Deep rose with light margining at edges of petals. Tall spike of up to 10 medium sized blooms open. Different, beautiful and extra fine. Also becoming fine cut flower.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	.25
COLONIAL MAID (Young) Light lavender with deeper flecks and lines in throat. Tall spike of medium sized blooms.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	3-.10 .30	.20
COLOSSUS (Mitsch) Large salmon pink on a medium height spike	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	3-.10 .30	.20
CONN. YANKEE (Arenius-Schenetsky) Light pink with a red marking in throat. Opens 8-9 perfectly placed blooms on a long flowerhead. Grows 5 ft. tall and always straight. Only a fair to good producer of bulblets which nearly all grow. Fine for exhibition and will become a good commercial when stock becomes more plentiful. Stock was sold so low last year that can only offer large and medium bulbs this season.....	1 5.00 10 40.00	5.00 40.00	— —	— —
CONQUEST (Mitsch) Light salmon pink with cream throat. Opens 6 wide open blooms on a straight spike. Beautiful, clear pink.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	3-.10 .30	.20
CORAL GLOW (Ellis) Glowing deep orange. Blooms are large, of heavy substance and well placed. A fine orange for exhibition or for cutting.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.15 .50	3-.10 .30	.20
CORONA (Palmer) Creamy white with a halo of rose stippling on edge of petals. Opens 6 large rather loosely attached blooms on a 6 ft. spike. This variety is very much in public favor because it is strikingly different and capable of winning at the shows and also is in demand as a cut flower	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	.20
COVER GIRL (Arenius-La Salle) Very large, medium pink, opening 10-12-5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " flowers on a long flowerhead. Giant foliage and spikes grow up to 6 ft. in height. This variety is capable of winning championship spike in any show. Has won many firsts in its color class at the shows this past season. Also won an Award of Merit at the Maryland Trial Grounds this past summer, which was one of two such awards made.....	1 2.00 10 16.00	1.50 12.00	1.00 8.00	10 2.00 100 15.00
CRINKLE CREAM (Ellis) Ruffled light yellow. Opens 5 wide open blooms on a tall spike. A fine light yellow.....	1 .75 10 6.00	.50 4.00	.35 2.80	10 .50 100 4.00
DESTINY (Butt) Salmon red with two small bars on lower petals. Opens 8 wide open blooms on a medium length, straight spike. Fine red.....	1 — 10 —	1.00 8.00	.75 6.00	10 1.00
DR. WHITELY (Riley) Clear apricot yellow. Opens 6 large blooms on a medium length spike. One of the best buff colored glads.....	1 .40 10 3.20	.30 2.40	.20 1.60	10 .25 100 2.00
EDITH GRACE (Harder) White with red throat blotch. Opens 6 medium sized blooms on a fairly tall spike. Would like it better if the color was clearer.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	.25 100 1.50
EGLANTINE (Scheer) A very large exhibition pink of exceptional color and form. It has a very serious fault of lacking height below the first bloom. Bulblets do not germinate well with me. However, if you can grow it well, it is quite breathtaking in its beauty.....	1 10.00	7.50	5.00	10 5.00
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (White) Very beautiful ruffled lavender opening 6-7 blossoms at once. Spikes are straight and flower head long but lacks height below first bloom. Very popular and prize winner many times at the shows.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.00	10 .25 100 1.50
ETHEL CAVE-COLE (Cave) Light pink which opens up to 8 wide open blooms on a fairly tall spike. Sometimes comes flecked and stems not as stiff as should be to hold up such a heavy flower filled spike. Proving popular as a cut flower and also winning at the shows.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	.25
FIREBRAND (Butt) New red from Canada. Medium red with two white lines on lower petals. Opens 8 on a 20 bud 50" straight spike. Looks promising.....	1 — 10 —	1.50 12.00	1.00 8.00	10 2.00

	Large Per 1 1/4" up	Medium 3/4"-1 1/4"	Small 3/8"-3/4"	Bulblets Per
FLYING FORTRESS (Wilson) Immense lavender grey smoky. Opens up to 12-6" florets on a 30" spike. Should easily win in its class at the shows but color not suitable for commercial purposes. Placement not always good.....	1 2.00 10 .15 1.20	1.50 .10 .80	1.00 2-.10 .40	10 2.00 Pkg. .20
FRANCIS M. IRWIN (Wilson) Deep rosy lavender with deeper blotch in throat. Makes a long flowerhead of 20 buds with up to 8 open, but lacks height below first bloom. Used commercially, however.....	1 5.00 10 .10 .80	— 2-.15 .50	— 4-.15 .30	10 5.00 Pkg. .20
FUSCHIA BELLE (Polinsky-Almey) A new shade of red, perhaps best described as a fuschia red. Have not seen enough of this to comment	1 2.50 10 .30 2.40	1.75 .20 1.60	1.00 .10 .80	10 .30 100 2.00
GARDENIA (Scheer) Creamy white, opens 6 medium sized florets on a tall spike. A reliable commercial white. A 100% cutter.....	1 1.00 10 .15 1.20	— .10 .80	— 2-.10 .40	— 10 1.00 Pkg. .25
GENGHIS KHAN (Scheer) Ruffled light pink, blending to a light cream throat. Opens 6 large blooms on a long flowerhead. Very pretty pink.....	1 1.00 10 .10 .80	— 2-.15 .50	— 4-.10 .30	— 10 1.00 Pkg. .20
GOAL (Ellis) Light orange, blending to a cream throat. Opens 6 very large florets on a long flowerhead. Spikes up to 6 ft. tall.....	1 2.00 10 .40 1.60	1.50 .20 .80	1.00 .10 .80	10 .40 100 2.00
GOLD DUST (Pfitzer) Early deep yellow. Medium sized blooms on a tall, straight spike. Used extensively as a yellow cut flower variety.....	1 1.00 10 .10 .80	— 2-.15 .50	— 4-.10 .30	— 10 1.00 Pkg. .20
GOLDEN STATE (Wheeler) A new yellow that is supposed to be quite an improvement on present yellows in size and number open. Haven't seen enough of it to venture an opinion.....	1 1.00 10 .15 1.20	— .10 .80	— 2-.10 .40	— 10 1.00 Pkg. .25
GRACIE ALLEN (Wilson) A clear deep scarlet self color. Opens 8-5" blooms on a long flowerhead. Fine propagator of bulblets that germinate well.....	1 2.00 10 .10 .80	1.50 .20 .80	1.00 .10 .80	10 1.50 Pkg. .25
GRAND MASTER (Love) This variety makes a fine exhibition spike of medium sized blooms of deep red self color with up to 10 open on a tall spike. Very showy.....	1 1.00 10 .15 1.20	— .10 .80	— 2-.10 .40	— 10 1.00 Pkg. .25
GRETA GARBO (Pfitzer) Light rose pink with cream throat. Opens 6 wide open blooms on a tall, slender stem. A very beautiful variety and good cut flower habits. A glad that will enhance any gladiolus collection.....	1 1.00 10 .15 1.20	— .10 .80	— 2-.10 .40	— 10 1.00 Pkg. .25
HARMAU (Bath) Ruffled orange red with a rosy overtone, deeper throat. Opens 6 large florets on a tall wiry stem. Different and beautiful.....	1 2.00 10 .25 2.00	1.50 .15 1.20	.10 .10 .80	10 .20 100 1.00
HIGH FINANCE (Wilson) Light orange-grey with cream throat. 8-5" well placed blooms on a long spike. Fine smoky	1 2.00 10 .40 3.20	1.50 .30 2.40	.10 .20 1.60	10 .30 100 2.00
HINDENBERG'S MEMORY (Pfitzer) Clear medium red. 6 large blooms on a tall spike. Has won many prizes. Blooms rather loosely attached to stem but a well grown spike is certainly an eyefull.....	1 1.00 10 .15 1.20	— .10 .80	— 2-.10 .40	— 10 1.00 Pkg. .25
IMPERIAL PURPLE (Arenius) Deep bright clear purple, practically a self color. Opens 5-5" blooms on a tall straight spike. Does not propagate too well and I wish it would open more but still think it is the best colored purple we have	1 2.00 10 .35 2.80	1.50 .25 2.00	— — —	10 .35 100 2.00
INTRUDER (Graff) Scarlet red with a small orange feather in throat. Opens up to 10 on a tall spike. Has a fine record of winning at the shows.....	1 3.00 10 .10 .80	2.00 2-.15 .50	1.00 4-.10 .30	1 .30 10 2.40
JEANIE (Pruitt) Beautiful clear pink with cream throat. Opens 6-5" blooms on a tall, slender spike. Very attractive pink that should be more widely grown. Makes rather rough looking bulbs.....	1 2.00 10 .15 1.20	1.50 .10 .80	2-.15 .40	100 .50
J. S. BACH (Pfitzer) Early deep salmon pink which opens up to 10 large blooms on a tall straight spike. A fine early cut flower.....	1 2.00 10 .10 1.60	1.50 2-.15 .50	.10 4-.10 .30	100 .35 Pkg. .25
JULES AMOTT (Wilson) One of Wilson's older reds that is still good. A medium red which opens up to 8 on a tall straight spike.....	1 2.00 10 .20 1.60	1.50 1.20	.10 .80	100 .35
KING ARTHUR (Arenius) Large ruffled deep lavender. Fine color but does not always make a good spike.....	1 2.00 10 .10 1.60	1.50 2-.15 .50	1.00 3-.10 .30	Pkg. .20

	Large Per 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " up	Medium 3/4"-1 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	Small 3/8"-3/4"	Bulblets Per
KING CLICK (Wilson) Medium shade of red. Opens 8-5" blooms on a long flowerhead and a 5 ft. spike. Has a long record of wins at the shows.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	25 .50 100 1.50
KING LEAR (Palmer) Ruffled reddish purple. Opens 8 large blooms on a tall spike. Florets rather loosely attached to a stem that bends over easily. Being used commercially because it's early and not many purples available.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	3-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
KING TAN (Wilson) Rosy tan, practically a self color. Opens 8 large blooms on a tall spike. Fine smoky	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	10 .25 100 1.50
KING WILLIAM (Schenetsky) A beautiful salmon and apricot blend. A paler Picardy. Opens 8 large blooms on a tall spike. Fine for exhibition or for cutting. Has a fine record of winnings at the shows, including championships.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	Pkg. .25
LADDIE (Harold Wilson) Light pink. Opens 8 wide open blooms on a tall, straight spike. Very fine.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	Pkg. .25
LADY JANE (Lake) Cream with a pronounced yellow lip. Opens up to 8 medium sized florets on a straight stiff spike. Very fine for cutting. Wins more than its share in the 400 class	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.15 .40	Pkg. .25
LANTANA (Palmer) Pastel shade of orange and yellow. Opens up to 8-4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " florets on a fairly long flowerhead. Lacks height below the first floret. Very early. Most beautiful and if it only grew taller would be a great cutflower. Heavy propagator	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	10 .25 100 2.00
LARIME (Wilson) Deep orange opening 6-8 large blooms in a double row placement on a long flowerhead. Lacks height of spike. Prize winner.....	1 1.00	.75	.50	10 .75
LAVENDER PRINCE (Arenius-La Salle) A King Arthur seedling and an improvement on that variety. Deep lavender which opens 6-5" blooms on a 55" straight spike. Won 1st with a basket of these at the Tri City Show in stiff competition. It is being bought heavily by commercial growers for a cut flower, consequently my stock is not too large even though it is good propagator and produces nice healthy good looking bulbs.....	1 .75 10 6.00	.50 4.00	.35 2.80	10 .75 100 6.00
LAVENDER QUEEN (Arenius) Deep violet lavender, usually clear, sometimes flecked deeper. Tall, straight spike with 6-8 blooms well placed. Midseason. Its use as a commercial lavender has been increasing yearly.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .60	4-.10 .40	Pkg. .20
LEADING LADY (Johnston) Creamy white sport of Picardy. Like that variety except color. This variety has been in the spotlight the past two years and has won numerous firsts and grand championships. In large demand by growers as the best white for cutting and as a shipper.....	1 .60 10 4.80	.40 3.20	.25 2.00	10 .60 100 5.00
LEGEND (Fischer) Light salmon pink with white throat. Opens 6 large florets on a tall spike. Very beautiful and a coming cut flower.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	10 .20 100 1.00
MAGNOLIA (Palmer) Light rose. Opens 6 large florets on strong straight spike. Beautiful light pink.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .60	4-.10 .40	Pkg. .20
MAID OF ORLEANS (Pfitzer) Standard all around white. Opens 6 wide open blooms on a tall spike. Most widely grown white.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .60	4-.10 .40	Pkg. .20
MARGARET BEATON (Twomey) Snowy white with small deep pink blotch. Opens 8 large blooms on a very long spike. Sometimes spike has a habit of twisting so that blooms on top of spike do not face the same way as those on bottom of spike. Notwithstanding, this variety has won numerous prizes and is very beautiful.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .60	4-.10 .40	Pkg. .20
MARGARET FULTON (Ogrodnichek) Early, clear salmon pink with 6 medium sized blooms on a fairly long flowerhead. Popular early cut flower variety.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
MARGUERITE (Pommert) Large deep salmon with cream throat. Opens 6-5" blooms on a long flowerhead but lacks height below 1st bloom. Bulblets difficult to grow.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	Pkg. .25
MARION PEARL (Benedict) Clear light salmon with lighter throat. Opens up to 10-5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " blooms on a medium height spike. Slow increaser. Beautiful.....	1 1.00	.75	—	10 1.00
MARY KATHLEEN (Kinyon) A new pure white that looks very promising. Haven't seen it bloom from a large bulb....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	10 .25 100 2.00

	Large Per 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " up	Medium 3/4"-1 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	Small 3/8"-3/4"	Bulblets Per
MARSEILLAISE (Scheer) Large crimson red. Opens 5-6" blooms on a long flowerhead. With me it usually lacks length of stem below the first bloom.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	10 .25 100 2.00
MARY DAMARIS (Clark) Beautiful shade of light yellow. 6 well placed blooms on a medium height plant. Fine yellow	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .40	Pkg. .25
MASTER MYRON (Krueger) Clear, self colored bright red. Opens 5 large blooms on a tall spike.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
MAX REGER (Pfitzer) Light blue with deeper throat marks. Opens 5 medium size blooms on a medium tall straight spike. A good blue.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
MERCURY (Line) Very bright scarlet red. Opens 8 large blooms on a tall straight spike. Prize winner many times. A very fine red.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
MILFORD (Rides) Azure blue with small deeper blotch. Opens 6 medium sized blooms on a tall spike. Best light blue.....				
MISS WISCONSIN (Krueger) Self colored deep rose. Opens 6-5" blooms on a medium tall spike. Perhaps the best of the rose colored glads.....	1 1.00 10 8.00	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	10 1.00 100 8.00
MOHAWK (Dr. Stevens) Deep maroon, opening 8-5" double row placed blooms on a tall spike. I think this is the best of the medium priced dark reds. Has won numerous prizes	1 .20 10 1.60	.10 .80	2-.10 .50	Pkg. .25
MT. INDEX (Miller) Creamy white with yellow lip. Opens 8 medium sized blooms on a very tall spike. Easy and prolific propagator. Coming commercial white.....	1 .30 10 2.40	.20 1.60	.10 .80	10 .25 100 2.00
MYRNA (Pruitt) Ruffled creamy white. Opens 8 medium sized blooms on a tall spike. Not a reliable performer but can be grown to a very imposing spike and has won many firsts at the shows.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
MYRTH (Fischer) Very ruffled light pink and cream blend. Opens 5 medium sized blooms on a medium height spike. Not a large glad but one that has charm and appeal.....	1 .60 10 4.80	.40 3.20	.25 2.00	10 .50 100 4.00
MYSTERY (Perry Lee Nursery) Light pink with a small blotch of rose in the throat. Opens 8-5" ruffled blooms on a spike of 20 buds. Very pretty. A show winner from Canada.....	1 2.00 10 —	1.50 12.00	1.00 8.00	1 .25 10 2.00
NESTUCCA (Ellis) Deep salmon pink with cream throat. Grows tall in my garden. A fine pink.....	1 .50 10 4.00	.35 2.80	.20 1.60	10 .40 100 3.00
NIELS M. JENSEN (Pfitzer) Deep pink with lighter throat. Opens 6-5" blooms on a tall slender spike. Promising early cut flower pink.....	1 .50 10 4.00	.35 2.80	.20 1.60	10 .40 100 3.00
OHIO NON PAREIL (Wilson) Bright scarlet with 8 very large blooms on a very long flowerhead. Blooms rather loosely attached to stem and I wish stem was longer below first floret. Has won many prizes. One of the largest reds.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.00	2-.15 .50	15 .25 100 1.50
OREGON GOLD (Majeski) Light yellow with deeper throat. Opens up to 10 medium size blooms on a tall spike. Heavy propagator. Late.....	1 .30 10 2.40	.20 1.60	.10 .80	10 .25 100 2.00
PARNASSUS (Ristow) Very large purple. Opens 5-6" blooms on a tall spike. Makes such a heavy spike of bloom that stems bend over easily. Fine purple.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .25
PAUL GRAMPEL (Pfitzer) Bright medium red which opens 6-4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " on a medium height spike. A valuable addition to the reds because it is early and a good cutter.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .50	Pkg. .30
PEGGY LOU (Wilson) Deep rose pink opening 8-5" blooms on a very long flowerhead. Stem, however, lacks length below the first flower. Has won many prizes. Substance only fair. Exhibition type.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	— —	Pkg. .20
PELEGREINA (Pfitzer) Deep violet blue. 8-medium sized blooms on a spike that bends over easily. Still the best in a deep blue or violet.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
PFITZERS ERFLOG (Pfitzer) Light rose pink. An improved Greta Garbo. Larger blooms and more open. Very outstanding in my garden last summer. A most beautiful variety	1 1.00 10 8.00	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	10 .50 100 4.00
PICARDY (Palmer) Most famous and popular glad grown today. Large salmon with 8 open on a tall spike. Has won more prizes at the shows than any other variety. Many stocks of bulbs of this variety are badly diseased. However I am glad to say that so far my stock is comparatively clean	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20

		Large Per 1 1/4" up	Medium 3/4"-1 1/4"	Small 3/8"-3/4"	Bulblets Per
PINK PARAGON (Cassabeer)	Bright, clear, pure pink with cream throat. Opens 6-5" blooms on a tall spike. A fine cut flower variety.....	1 .30 10 2.40	.20 1.60	.10 .80	10 .25 1.00 2.00
PINK PICARDY (Earl)	A deeper pink sport of Picardy. Same as Picardy except the color is deeper.....	1 .50	.50	.50	— —
PINK RADIANCE (Quackenbush)	Light pink with 6 large blooms on a tall spike. Extra cut flower variety.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .50	Pkg. .25
PIONEER (Arenius-La Salle)	Deep salmon pink blending to a cream throat. Opens up to 8 large blooms on a heavy, straight spike. Makes a large plant with wide, healthy foliage. Easy propagator. Unless well grown inclined to show space between the double row of florets. Beautiful color. Has won some firsts in its color class this past summer. One Florida grower wrote, "the best cutting pink he had seen in years".....	1 2.00 10 16.00	1.50 12.00	1.00 .80	10 2.00 100 15.00
PURPLE BEAUTY (Roozen)	Rich dark purple. Opens 5 medium sized blooms on a medium length spike. A good reliable purple.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
PURPLE SUPREME (Wilson)	Deep clear purple with a light picotee edge. Opens up to 8 medium sized blooms on a tall spike. Probably the best purple for exhibition purposes and it should also make a good cut flower where this color is wanted for commercial purposes. Fast propagator.....	1 .75 10 6.00	.45 3.60	.20 1.60	10 .40 100 3.00
R. B. (Upton)	Rusty brown on an old rose base. Individual florets up to 7 inches and grows quite tall. To me not a pleasing color and the only reason I grow it is because it usually wins as the largest floret in the show and folks buy it for that reason.....	1 .25 10 —	.15 1.20	.10 .80	10 .20 100 1.50
RED CHARM (Butt)	Deep medium red. Opens 8 large blooms on a fairly tall spike. Very attractive red and good commercial. Also has enviable show record.....	1 .25 10 2.00	.15 1.20	.10 .80	10 .25 100 1.50
RED EAGLE (Thomas)	Medium red. Opens 6 large blooms on a tall spike. Very attractive red.....	1 1.00	.60	.40	10 .50
RED RIVAL (Arenius-La Salle)	Brilliant glowing scarlet red. Opens up to 8 large blooms on a 50" spike. Unless well grown will show an open space between the double row of florets. Only a fair propagator. Won some firsts in the red class at the shows this past season.....	1 .75 10 6.00	.50 4.00	.35 2.80	10 .75 100 6.00
REVLON (Milo)	Another bright scarlet red that opens 6-5" blooms on a 20 bud, tall, slender spike. A fine red and should make a fine commercial variety.....	1 2.50 10 20.00	1.50 12.00	1.00 8.00	1 .50 10 4.00
RIO RITA (Lins)	Large orange that opens 6 large blooms on a tall spike. Late. Fine for exhibition.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	10 .25 100 2.00
ROMAN GOLD (Canine)	Golden orange that opens 6 medium sized blooms on a tall spike. A very satisfactory cut flower in a color that is not too plentiful.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .50	Pkg. .25
ROSA VAN LIMA (Pfitzer)	Light rosy pink with a touch of lavender in the throat. Up to 8 wide open 5" blooms on a tall straight spike. Early and a heavy propagator. Good for both exhibition or cut flowers. A really outstanding glad	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
ROSE O'DAY (Fischer)	Rosy lavender. Opens up to 10 medium size blooms on a straight, stiff spike. Florets don't open too wide and the color could be clearer, but it makes quite an imposing spike.....	1 1.00 10 8.00	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	10 .50 100 4.00
ROSY MORN (Riley)	Light coral rose, sometimes flecked. Opens 6 medium sized blooms on a medium tall spike. With me bulbs are not too healthy. It is a very beautiful variety when it comes clear color.....	1 .15	.10	2-.10	Pkg. .20
RUFFLED PRINCESS (Pruitt)	Light rosy pink and cream. Opens 5 medium sized blooms on a medium height spike. This is a very ruffled variety that attracts attention because of its ruffling and beautiful color.....	1 .20 10 1.60	.15 1.20	.10 .80	Pkg. .35
SENSATION (Marshall)	Light rosy salmon. Opens 8 large blossoms on a very tall spike which, unless planted deep, will bend over from the weight. Late. Fine for exhibition	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .25
SILENTIUM (Pfitzer)	White with carmine throat blotch. Opens 6 medium sized blooms with alternate placement on a tall spike. Early and a prolific producer of bulblets that grow easily. Much in demand for a cut flower.....	1 .20 10 1.60	.15 1.20	.10 .80	Pkg. .25

	Large Per 1½" up	Medium ¾"-1¼"	Small ⅓"-⅔"	Bulblets Per
SNOW PRINCESS (Pfitzer) Creamy white with 6-5" blooms open on a tall straight spike. Used extensively as a cut flower because of its ability to open when picked in tight bud	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
SOUTHERN DRAMA (Wilson) Clear scarlet red. Opens 6 large blooms on 30" flowerhead on a 5 ft. spike. A very fine red.....	1 .50	.35	.25	10 .50
SPOTLIGHT (Palmer) Deep yellow with a small scarlet blotch. Opens 8 well spaced florets on a tall spike. Fine color, easy grower and a good propagator. Has won awards and I think has a future as a cut flower.....	1 2.00	1.25	.75	10 2.00
SUNRISE (Butt) Deep rose pink, yellow throat. Opens 8 medium sized blooms on a tall wiry spike. A fine late variety	—	1.00	.75	10 1.50
SURFSIDE (Winsor) Ruffled white with pencil line in throat. Opens 6 large blooms on a tall spike. Strong, vigorous grower. Fine late white.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
TUNIAS MOHAMET (Bath) Smoky plum rose with scarlet blotch. An odd but beautiful smoky. 8-6" florets on a long flowerhead. This makes a very imposing spike. Prize winner	1 2.00	1.50	1.00	10 2.00
VAGABOND PRINCE (Palmer) Brown toned smoky with a bright scarlet blotch. 6-4½" well placed blooms on a tall spike. Bulbs tend to disease easily. Fine smoky.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
VALERIA (Pruitt) Light red or scarlet. Opens 6 ruffled blooms on a tall, stiff spike. This variety is in great demand as a cut flower red, but although it makes plenty of bulblets they do not germinate readily. Extra cut flower red.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
VANGOLD (Van Voorhis) Early deep yellow self color. Opens 6 well spaced blooms on a tall straight spike. Edges of petals burn easily in the bright sunlight so should be picked in bud. In demand as an early cut flower yellow.....	1 1.00 10 8.00	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	10 1.00 100 8.00
VISTA BONITA (Bliss) Pure pink with cream throat. Opens 6 large blooms on a very tall spike. A real giant in growth. Flowers lack substance but not too badly. A beautiful glad	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
VREDENBURG (Pfitzer) Early pure white which opens 4-5 large blooms on a stiff, straight medium height spike. Those looking for a pure white will find it in this glad.....	1 .10 10 .80	2-.10 .50	4-.10 .30	Pkg. .20
VULCAN (Dr. Stevens) A reddish purple which usually comes flecked deeper. Opens 5 very large blooms on a tall spike. Probably the largest and tallest of the purples.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.15 1.20	10 .25 100 2.00
WHITE FANTASY (La Salle) Early ruffled white with a small lavender feather in the throat. Opens 8 4½" blooms on a tall spike. Valuable as an first early cut flower white. Very fine.....	1 .15 10 1.20	.10 .80	2-.10 .50	Pkg. .25
WHITE GOLD (Scheer) Mammoth cream blending to yellow in throat. Opens 5-6" blooms on a very tall spike. Florets rather loosely attached to stem but is being widely grown for a cut flower due to its earliness and large size and vigorous propagating ability.....	1 .35 10 2.80	.25 2.00	.10 .80	15 .25 100 2.00

Unlabeled Collections of Assorted Glads

Many folks desire to plant glads in the garden for cut flowers, but do not care to fuss with the labeling of the different kinds. To satisfy this need I make up special collections of named varieties but unlabeled. In making up an assortment of 100 glads, I usually put in 35 varieties of 3 bulbs each, thus making sure of good color balance. However, if you prefer or dislike certain colors, just mention it and I will act accordingly. These same varieties if bought under name would cost several times the purchase price.

Rainbow Collection

Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs
1½" and up	¾" to 1¼"
25 — \$1.50	25 — \$1.00
50 — \$3.00	50 — \$1.75
100 — \$5.00	100 — \$2.75
200 — \$9.00	200 — \$5.00

De Luxe Collection

Large Bulbs	Medium Bulbs
1½" and up	1¾" to 1¼"
25 — \$2.50	25 — \$1.25
50 — \$5.00	50 — \$2.50
100 — 10.00	100 — \$5.00
200 — 18.00	200 — \$9.00

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No. 4—¾" to 1"

No. 2—1¼" to 1½"

No. 5—½" to ¾"

No. 3—1" to 1¼"

No. 6—Under ½"

Bulblets

	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	½ Pt.	Qt.
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ALADDIN (Palmer) Salmon	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
BARCAROLE (Palmer) Light orange	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
BEACON (Palmer) Scarlet and cream	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	—	—	1.25	4.00
BIG TOP (Rich) Pink	16.00	12.50	9.00	7.50	6.00	4.00	8.00	25.00
BRIDE'S DELIGHT (Wilson) Light pink	8.00	6.50	5.00	4.00	2.50	1.50	2.00	6.00
*BUCKEYE BRONZE (Wilson) Bronze	10.00	8.50	7.25	6.50	5.00	3.50	3.00	10.00
*BUFFETTE (Winsor) Buff	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
*CAMELLIA (Palmer) Blush pink	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.25	1.25	4.00
CAPEHEART (Winsor) Pink	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	5.00
CAPSICUM (Arenius-La Salle) Pink	125.00	110.00	100.00	85.00	70.00	55.00	100.00	300.00
*CHAMOUNY (Baerman) Rose	12.00	10.50	9.00	7.00	5.00	3.50	5.00	15.00
CORAL GLOW (Ellis) Deep orange	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	5.00
*CORONA (Palmer) Cream	8.00	7.00	5.50	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00	6.00
COVER GIRL (Arenius-La Salle) Pink	125.00	110.00	100.00	85.00	70.00	55.00	100.00	300.00
*ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (White) Lavender	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00	12.00	9.00	15.00	50.00
*ETHEL CAVE-COLE (Cave) Light pink	8.00	7.00	5.50	4.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	6.00
*GARDENIA (Scheer) White	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.25	1.25	4.00
*GOLD DUST (Pfitzer) Deep yellow	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
*GRETA GARBO (Pfitzer) Blush pink	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	5.00
J. S. BACH (Pfitzer) Pink	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	6.00
KING LEAR (Palmer) Purple	7.00	6.00	5.00	3.50	2.50	1.50	1.50	5.00
KING TAN (Wilson) Tan	15.00	13.00	11.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	3.00	10.00
*KING WILLIAM (Schenetsky) Pink	8.00	7.00	5.50	4.00	3.00	2.00	2.50	8.00
LADY JANE (Lake) Cream	10.00	8.50	7.00	6.00	4.00	3.00	5.00	15.00
*LAVENDER PRINCE (Arenius-La Salle) Lavender	50.00	45.00	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	50.00	150.00
*LAVENDER QUEEN (Arenius) Lavender	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
*LEADING LADY (Johnston) White	38.00	32.00	24.00	18.00	16.00	14.00	40.00	120.00
*MARGARET BEATON (Twomey) White	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	3.00	8.00
*MARGARET FULTON (Ogrodnichek) Salmon	5.00	4.50	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.25	1.25	4.00
MARY DAMARIS (Clark) Yellow	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
MAX REGER (Pfitzer) Light blue	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	5.00
MERCURY (Lins) Scarlet	25.00	22.00	18.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	20.00	60.00
*MOHAWK (Dr. Stevens) Dark red	15.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	3.00	4.00	12.00
MYRNA (Pruitt) White	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
NIELS M. JENSEN (Pfitzer) Pink	30.00	25.00	20.00	15.00	12.00	9.00	15.00	40.00
OREGON GOLD (Majeski) Yellow	12.50	11.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	3.50	8.00	25.00
PICARDY (Palmer) Salmon	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.25	4.00
PINK PARAGON (Cassabeer) Pink	20.00	16.00	14.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	8.00	25.00
PINK RADIANCE (Quackenbush) Light pink	10.00	9.00	8.00	6.50	5.00	4.00	8.00	25.00
PIONEER (Arenius-La Salle) Pink	125.00	110.00	100.00	85.00	70.00	55.00	100.00	300.00
*PURPLE SUPREME (Wilson) Purple	48.00	40.00	30.00	24.00	16.00	10.00	15.00	45.00
RED CHARM (Butt) Red	16.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	5.00	8.00	25.00
*ROSA VAN LIMA (Pfitzer) Rosy pink	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.25	4.00
ROSE O'DAY (Fischer) Lavender	60.00	50.00	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	30.00	100.00
*SILENTIUM (Pfitzer) White	10.00	8.50	7.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	3.00	10.00
*SNOW PRINCESS (Pfitzer) White	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.25	4.00
*SURFSIDE (Winsor) Late white	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
VAGABOND PRINCE (Palmer) Smoky	—	—	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
VREDENBERG (Pfitzer) White	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	5.00
VULCAN (Dr. Stevens) Purple	20.00	18.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	12.00	35.00
*WHITE FANTASY (La Salle) White	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.50	8.00
*WHITE GOLD (Scheer) Cream	20.00	18.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	10.00	30.00

CARE AND CULTURE

SOIL AND FERTILIZER

Glads do well on most any soil if they are planted in the open garden where there is plenty of sunshine. You may work well rotted manure into the soil in the Spring by putting it into the bottom of your planting trench, then covering with an inch of soil; then planting your bulbs. Vigoro is also good. Two or three applications of commercial fertilizer may be made on the surface along the rows during the growing season before the plants bloom. Any fertilizer should be kept from direct contact with the bulb or foliage. If you wish to grow immense spikes, you must fertilize heavily; your plants must also have at least an inch of water every three or four days.

PLANTING

Work soil to a depth of eight inches, or ten inches will be better. Large bulbs should be covered with not less than six inches of soil. The deeper planting helps keep them upright when blooming. Smaller bulbs should be planted not less than two inches. You may regulate your distance apart in the row by the space you have. Plant rows anywhere from 2 ft. to 3 ft. apart. Plant in rows from two to six inches apart, depending on space and number of bulbs. They do well planted close together, but require more water.

DIGGING AND STORAGE

Our early stock is taken up in early October. The bulbs should be taken up within six weeks to two months after blooming but before the tops begin to get brown. Even if the tops are green, bulbs should be taken up before the ground freezes deeply. After digging, cut off the tops close to bulb and put in screen bottomed tray to cure. They should have plenty of ventilation while curing and must not be put in containers more than three or four inches deep. At this time Napthalene flakes (procured from your druggist) may be safely scattered on the bulbs which are dormant. Use at the rate of an ordinary handful per 100 bulbs. A little more or less won't do any harm and it will drive away any thrip that may be harboring an idea of wintering on your bulbs. By the time you are ready to clean the bulbs most of the flakes will have evaporated. A note of warning! DO NOT use them in the Spring when root nodules appear at the base of the bulb, as they are harmful and prevent normal growth of the plant. Use them right after digging or early winter. Stir them every few days and keep dry. In four weeks they will be cured so that old bulbs may be removed from the bottoms. They may then be placed in storage.

The storage temperature is best at 40 to 50 degrees. Your storage room should be dry, cool and ventilated and as near uniform as possible as to temperature. It is well to look at your bulbs every two or three weeks. If they are showing signs of too much moisture or looking mouldy, dry them out and give better ventilation. Keep them in small containers and spread thin.

FORMULAS FOR SPRAYS AND DIPS

Thrip Spray for Blooms

3 ounces of Tarter Emetic

1/2 lb. of sugar

3 gallons of water

Mix well and spray weekly after foliage is in third leaf. Sure death to thrip.

Bichloride of Mercury Dip for Bulbs

1 oz. of Bichloride of Mercury

7 gallons of water

Soak 10 to 12 hours immediately preceding planting. Plant wet. Must be used in earthen or wooden containers. Kills thrips and is also beneficial for control of scab.

Lysol Dip for Bulbs

1 tablespoon of Lysol

1 gallon of water

Soak 4 to 6 hours immediately preceding planting. Highly recommended for control of bulb diseases.

New Improved Ceresan Dip for Bulbs

1 oz. of N. I. Ceresan

3 gallons of water

Newest of the bulb dip treatments. Considered the best for treatment of disease of bulbs but must be used with caution. Weigh carefully and do not leave in solution more than 20 minutes. Plant immediately after dipping while bulbs are wet.



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